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SUBJ: INDO-US RUPEE NEGOTIATIONS

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1. FYI: WE HAVE INDIAN AGREEMENT AT HIGHEST LEVEL
IN PRINCIPLE TO BROAD OUTLINES OUR PROPOSED RUPEE
SETTLEMENT. THERE HAS BEEN NO RPT NO MENTION IN
NEGOTIATIONS TO DATE OF ANY POSSIBLE USE IN BANGLADESH
OF RUPEES TO BE RETAINED BY US. HOWEVER, BY TERMS
PROPOSED AGREEMENT, US COULD MAKE USE OF ITS RUPEES FOR
AID TO BANGLADESH IN FUTURE (AS WAS CASE HERETOFORE) ONLY
WITH SPECIFIC INDIAN CONCURRENCE. HOWEVER, WE DO INTEND
TO DRAW ON US RUPEES IN FUTURE TO FUND THIRD COUNTRY
(INCLUDING BANGLADESH) PARTICIPANT TRAINING IN INDIA.
WE WILL NOT REQUIRE SPECIFIC INDIAN CONCURRENCE FOR THIS
USE OUR RUPEES. END FYI.

2. IF ASKED, YOU MAY DRAW ON FOLLOWING PREPARED FOR
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SEPTEMBER 19 NOON PRESS BRIEFING. (SUBJECT WAS NOT

RPT NOT RAISED):

Q: HAVE WE REACHED TENTATIVE AGREEMENT ON THE RUPEE
PROBLEM WITH THE INDIANS?

A: NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BEEN UNDER WAY FOR SEVERAL MONTHS.
AS DR. KISSINGER TOLD THE SENATE THE OTHER DAY, WE ARE
HOPEFUL THAT WE WILL SHORTLY REACH A SATISFACTORY
SETTLEMENT.

Q: WHAT CAN YOU SAY ABOUT THE DETAILS?

A: I DON'T WANT TO GET INTO DETAILS SINCE THE
NEGOTIATIONS ARE STILL IN PROGRESS. KISSINGER

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